

# The Shakerite

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## New Darkroom Is Joy to Photo Club

Floodlights glaring, cameras clicking, flashbulbs popping—all this may be viewed in room 113 during a meeting of the Photography Club. The Club meets once every two weeks under the leadership of Mr. Harold Storms.

The most popular current conversation of the members is undoubtedly about the construction of the darkroom which is being built in the basement corridor of the school. The project consists of two separate rooms—one for printing, enlarging, and copy-work; the other, for film-loading and developing. Each room will have running water, special linoleum covering for counters, and a locker for each of the Club's members in which to put his private supplies. The rooms, designed by Mr. Storms, will be completed in about three weeks, and will be open to members of the Photography Club and their friends. In describing the room, Club President Bill Wieland says, "We believe it is one of the finest darkrooms in the locality and it is equipped with the best of everything."

## School Stocks Necessities

The school will stock the darkroom with necessities, and the Club will buy the rest of the materials. Another gift of the school to the group was a graphic-type camera complete with extra lenses for angle and portrait shots to be used for taking Gristmill and Shakerite pictures.

During meetings new devices are discussed, and pictures, taken by members, are criticized. Occasionally, instructive films are shown. Paul Hexter, one of the Club's fifteen members, has distinguished himself by winning honorable mention in the National High School Photographic Award Contest and also in the Press Snapshot Contest.

On behalf of the other officers—David Nachman, Paul Hexter, and Alan Glueck—Bill Wieland wishes to express his appreciation to Mr. Storms who has been the "key factor in obtaining the darkroom." Bill also emphasizes the point that the darkroom will be of benefit to the whole school, rather than just to the Photography Club itself.

Elliot Schlang

## Ex-Shakerites Win Awards

Jean O'Hara, Phyllis Faber, and Carolyn Raymond, former Shaker High art majors and now studying at the Cleveland Institute of Art are exhibiting silk screened fabrics in the current showing of "Cleveland Textiles Today" at the Cleveland Museum of Art.

Audrey Tomlinson is among the 131 students at Pembroke College who were named recently to the dean's list for high academic standing.



The proposed school seal, designed by Huck Finn, and which is awaiting final approval, is pictured. It is hoped that the seal is to be used on school papers and documents and possibly on a school ring and flag.

## Shaker to Represent China, Israel at Mock UN Meeting, Mar. 31

On March 31, at Western Reserve University, twelve lucky Shakerites will take part in the Annual Mock United Nations Assembly Meeting. At that time students from all over Cleveland will attend as representatives from various countries of the world to hold a meeting exactly like the real U.N. in New York.

Shaker's representatives will represent Israel and China in the all-day affair. In the morning are the sub-committee meetings in which each of six sub-committees decide on two possible solutions to their respective problems of current world interest. In the afternoon, the majority and minority reports are read to the "General Assembly," which consists of the entire group, for voting. The Mock Assembly gives Cleveland students an inside view of the U.N.

## Three to Represent Shaker At Lake Erie Speech Contest

Between 1:15 and 3:30 p. m. on March 6, a group of Shakerites were biting fingernails and tearing their hair, trying to organize thoughts, statistics, and nerves, in preparation for the try-outs for the Lake Erie League Extemporaneous Speech Contest. Although they had the use of a pencil, dictionary, and paper, no notes were allowed to be used in giving the actual speech.

The speech was no longer than six minutes in length and on one of the many phases of "United States Military Preparedness," which the student did not know of beforehand. He was to take a definite affirmative or negative opinion and support it with facts from current world affairs. The judges picked the three best speakers from these try-outs who are Shaker's representatives in the Lake Erie League Contest. Those chosen were Chuck Pimlott, Alan Schwartz, and Elwood Smith.

The finals consist of three contests. The first was on March 14, at Oberlin College in Ohio. The second will be held at the Alcazar Hotel on April 5, before the Rotary Club, and the final contest will be held at Cleveland Heights High School sometime during the week of April 16 to 20.

Because Shaker's top debaters, Ronnie Stillman and Jere Broh-Kahn, have graduated, it will be exciting to see who can keep up Shaker's record at public speaking.

## Shaker Is Scene of LEL Choral Festival Tonight

Tonight at 8 o'clock the chorus of Cleveland Heights, Shaw, Elyria, Euclid, Lorain, Lakewood and Shaker, 600 strong, will present the Lake Erie League Choral Festival at Shaker. Each school choir will sing individually and for the finale the combined chorus of 600 voices will sing four numbers, two under the direction of Reynold Ellis, Shaker's choir director, and two under the direction of J. Martin Beck of Elyria. This will be the first time all the choirs of the Lake Erie League have gathered at Shaker.

A dinner and recreation will be provided for the choirs after the big rehearsal in the afternoon.

The combined choirs of 600 voices will sing, under the direction of Mr. Ellis, *Awake* by Wagner and *Ride the Chariot*, arranged by Smith. Under the direction of Mr. Beck of Elyria they will sing *The Pilgrims' Chorus* from Tannhauser by Wagner and *God Is the Light of the World* by Morgan.

Only 600 tickets are available to the public. They may be bought from members of the choir for 50c.

## Players to Present 'Whiteheaded Boy'

"The Whiteheaded Boy" by Lennox Robinson will be presented by the Shaker Players March 29, 30, and 31 in the Senior High Auditorium. The lead of this classic Irish comedy will be played by Mrs. Betty Blackmore. It is directed by Larry Kuhl.

The plot involves the sacrifices of a widow and her six grown children to give a good education to the youngest son who it develops isn't worthy. The play has many laughs and unexpected twists.

## Carlotta, Harker Cop Model Plane Awards

Two Shakerites received recognition recently for skill and craftsmanship in model airplane building. Bill Harker walked away with a fourth place Higbee Gift Certificate and an honorable mention award. Paul Carlotta is also the proud possessor of an Honorable Mention Certificate.

The annual National Model Plane Contest is sponsored jointly by the Air Foundation and the Chamber of Commerce as a tribute to the Community Chest "Skyways" program, a Red Feather presentation devoted to the aviation-minded youth of Cleveland.

More than 15,000 spectators witnessed the exhibition of over 700 model planes from Ohio, Pennsylvania and Michigan.

## 23 Seniors Receive Scholarship Keys

Twenty-three 12A's became the proud possessors of the coveted gold scholarship keys presented by the Dads' Club at the assembly on February 21. These awards are made to every senior class at the end of the 12B semester to encourage good scholarship and to recognize the individual's ability.

Louis Seltzer, editor of the Cleveland Press, gave a talk which preceded the presentation of the gold keys by the president of the Dads' Club, Wendell A. Falsgraf. To earn one of these awards it is necessary to have a B-plus average during all four years of high school.

Those who received the keys were Barbara Bassett, Barbara Bauboff, Jill Bryant, Robert Englander, Donald Evans, Mary Ellen Gazley, Ruth Gilbert, Nancy Glick, Alan Glueck, Rhina Holtz, Patricia King, Frema Kutler, Mary Lou Lemke, Willis McFarlane, Mary Mountcastle, Charles Pimlott, Mary Louise Scher, Alan Schwartz, Robert Soltz, Adele Stromberg, Elizabeth Tharett, Barbara Van Sittert, and Norman Zucker.

## Glueck, Hughes Winners of Westinghouse Awards

For the tenth year, the Westinghouse Electric Corporation and the Science Service have joined in sponsoring The Science Talent Search, a contest in which high school students throughout the entire nation compete for trips to Washington.

In addition to the 40 students who are chosen to go to Washington, 260 students receive honorable mentions.

Mary Alice Hughes, who graduated in January, and Alan Glueck, a senior, are the outstanding students from Shaker who won honorable mentions.

Mary Alice received her award for the research work she conducted on oils. Alan received his honorable mention for his project on an automatic transmission for automobiles.



Gold key winners at the regional Scholastic Art Awards Contest were, front row, in the customary order, Mary Mountcastle, Lynne Zucker, Sally Glover, and Kay Fulton; second row, Frema Kutler, Paul Hexter, Gib Moritz, and Craig McArt.

## Ten From Shaker Win Gold Keys Art Contest Accepts 25 Entries

The annual regional exhibit of the Scholastic Art Awards Contest, which opened March 3 in the Halle Auditorium and will continue through tomorrow, March 17, contains 25 entries from Shaker. Approximately 1000 entries from 19 North-eastern Ohio counties were submitted; only 800 were accepted. Shaker, however, submitted but 50, of which 25 were accepted and 10 won Gold Key awards for exceptionally fine work.

Those winning Gold Key awards were Kathryn Fulton, Lynne Zucker, Mary Mountcastle, Gib Moritz, Sally Glover, Craig McArt, Frema Kutler, Lillian Juergine, and Paul Hexter. In addition to the entries on the basis of which they received their keys, Paul, Lillian, Gib, and Mary

had other entries accepted. Paul and Mary have received additional recognition by being included in the top 50 entrants who, on the basis of the number of keys and pieces accepted, have been awarded Special Honorable Mentions. Elaine Hassler, Joan Sanders, Gretchen Haag, Myrel Papurt, Mary Burney, Dick Chiara, Paul Brangard, and Ardis

Allen, too, were honored by the judges in having work accepted. Sophomores whose work was submitted while they were students at the junior high and who received acceptances also are Jerry Aidlin, Ellen Freidman and Victor Kord.

Key winners' entries will go to Pittsburgh in May to compete with regional winners from all over the country.

## The Shakerite

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## Opportunity Knocks

Shortly after spring vacation Shakerites will once again have the opportunity to participate in choosing our school officials for the next year. Students who have the desire to seek office, and who possess the necessary requirements should be encouraged to declare themselves candidates for the offices of president, vice-president, or secretary. Not only is it the responsibility of each individual to urge capable and qualified students to take part in this campaign, but it is also imperative for each person to have an active interest in whom he chooses as representatives of Shaker next year. The forthcoming election needs our enthusiasm—Shakerites, here is your chance to support an issue of importance to everyone.



Nicky



Sandy

Latest Shakerite news flash! The defense program has done it again! No longer can we sneak through the halls with shoes with sponge rubber soles; the girl with the good figure is out. No longer can Sandy Nichols prowl around Mrs. Marlowe's classroom seventh period, trying to find Joanne Birnbaum. New National Program Authority announced recently that the civilian consumption of rubber has been cut down. For some people, this is going to be quite a loss!

Shakerites are spending their spring vacations in a variety of places this year. As usual, Florida is at the head of the list of vacation spots. Among the students who will be there this year are Carol Sheinbart, Bob Smoots, Bertha Samas, Bob Sill, Carol Clark, Ronny Cohen, Pete Merrill, Jo Anne David, and Marc Meshorer. Also heading South are Bill Hendrich and John Lawrence who will be in North Carolina, and Betty Porter who will visit in Williamsburg.

Tom Rooker, Jan. 1951, seems to take the prize in long distance trips; he is vacationing in Havannah, Cuba. Jim Hersh and Jim Greenbaum will go a long way too. They will be in Montreal next week.

New York also has called many Shakerites. Among those who will spend their vacations there are Ginny Liedy, Sherry Spivak, Jean and Jo Wood, Jay Livingston, and Tom Clark.

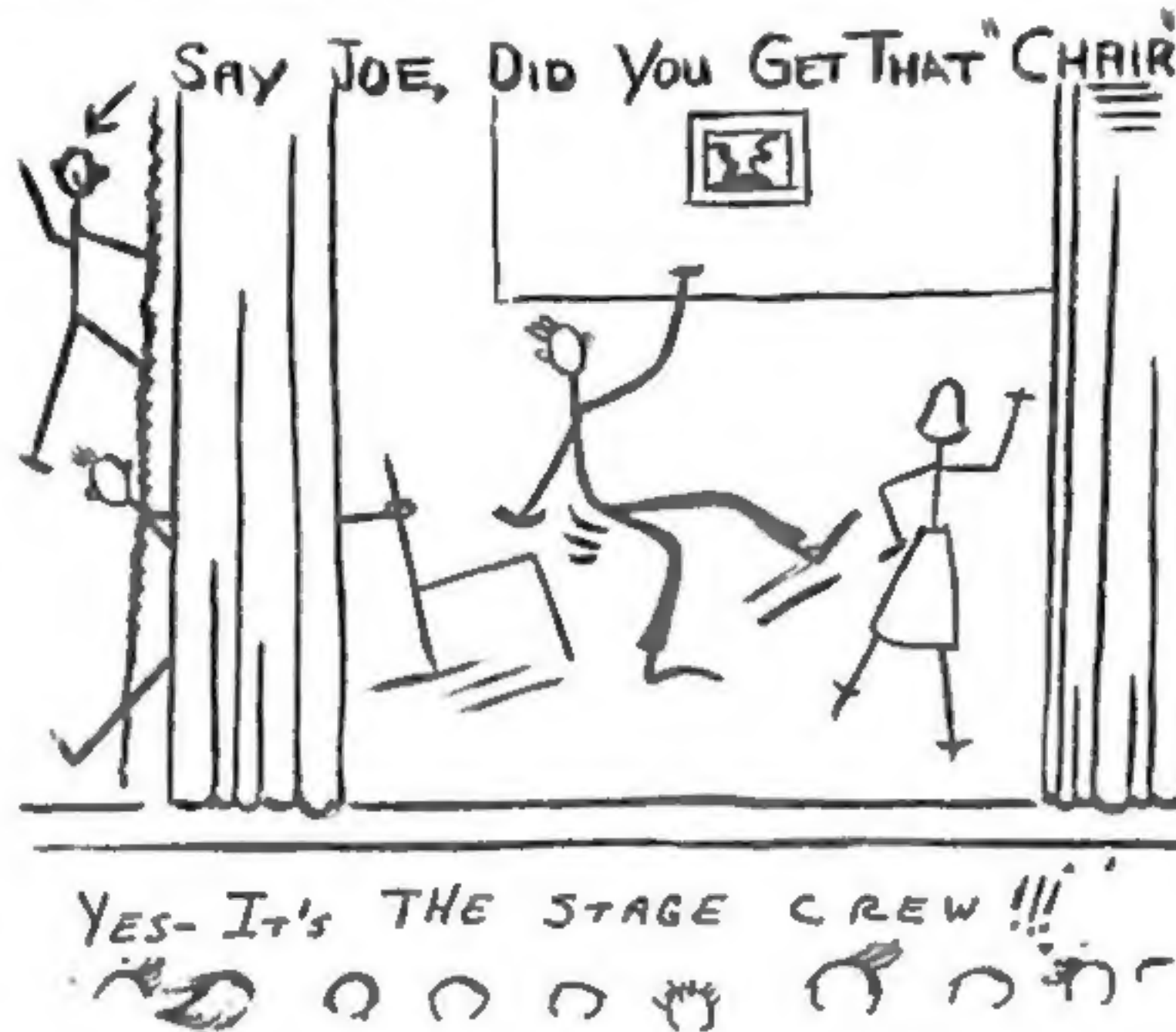
These are just a few of the many Shaker students who are heading for some special place during their vacations. We realize that many Shakerites will just loaf around here, but no matter what you do, Have Fun! !

## Stage Crew's Jobs Range From Garbage to Neurotics

What would you do if you were put in charge of getting ten pounds of rotting garbage in time for a school play? (To be used by the actors only!) Many of us would sneeringly denounce such a low job, but not the Shaker Stage Crew. This organization has successfully solved many such problems and kept on doing the usual mundane jobs it was already responsible for at the same time. These unsung heroes, who do the dirty work necessary to a good play, seldom get the recognition they deserve for their many hours of hard work backstage.

Life backstage is not completely dull by any means, for the members of the stage crew all agree that it has its moments. Some, like Barbara Coy and Nancy Hyde, feel that it can be dangerous at times.

The stage crew does not only consist of the people who take care of the sets and props. Lighting, make-up, costuming, sound, and prompting are some of the jobs the stage



Big black hooks are liable to sweep down from the upper regions and flip you away. Scenery has been known to conk many an unsuspecting stage hand when he isn't looking. Obviously, these brave souls live dangerously. During rehearsals and actual performances the stage takes on several aspects of a delicatessen. Hamburgers, French fries, cookies, candy, cake, coke, ice cream and fruit are being devoured by wild-eyed stage hands as they desperately erect doors and hunt for props that some temperamental actor has misplaced.

When a play is planned there is an announcement on the P. A. for anyone interested in working on the crew to sign up. These people become members of the Dramatic Production Club. The club has no meetings, and is active only during the production of a play. Mr. Caldwell sponsors the group, and anyone is welcome to sign up at any time during the year. To work on the stage crew, you must first make up your mind not to let little things like falling walls, neurotic actors, frantic teachers, and harassed directors upset you.

Julia Doyle

## Sophs Wonder: Willy Caesar Or Julius Shakespeare?

Dear Shakespearites,

Recently a certain English teacher approached her sophomore class with a test concerning the life of William Shakespeare. It's not my wish to alienate the sophomore class with this letter, but rather to clear up a noticeable, unrealistic similarity between the lives of the great William S. and the great Julius C.

One version of Shakespeare's life had him captured by gypsies. Will, upon discovering the nature of the ransom, demanded that a higher price be asked for a person of his estate. (Careful, Will! Don't roll over too much.) Amazingly enough, Julius Caesar fell into the hands of pirates back in about 60 B.C., and demanded the same action.

It must be recognized that a time lapse of about 1700 years is very slight in comparison with the number of years mankind has been on earth and, therefore, the mistake in time is quite minute.

Another minor chronological error credits Shakespeare with being offered and refusing the crown four times. News such as this might have interested Queen Elizabeth had she gotten wind of it. It's funny that the same thing happened to Caesar. In fact, J. C. was finally assassinated for being ambitious. The people

feared he might accept sometime.

Of course you've all heard, haven't you, that Shakespeare's favorite pastime was "doping deer?" Another interesting thing to note about his life is that "the house in which he was born is now government owned." A truly great achievement, Will! Now you may rest in peace until the next test.

Love and X's to the Sophs,  
S. E.

P. S: And they say teachers never have any fun!

Coming Next Issue: Complete List of Shaker's Winners in News Writing Contest; Feature on Student Elections.



From Kuter

Hi again, guys and gals! Here we are once more to tell you some of the latest gossip around the school.

First of all we would like to congratulate the excellent cast of the play, "Harriet." Shirley Raak portrayed the leading character, Harriet, in an outstanding manner. But the most astonishing character of the play Saturday night was Jay Livingston, who did a beautiful job of taking over Ed Judd's part as Freddie Stone. On Saturday afternoon, Ed was reported to be too sick to come that night so Jay was called in right away to go over all his lines. It certainly took a lot of courage and ability to be able to tackle a job like that. We would also like to acknowledge Sally Grover's last minute pinch-hitting, for she didn't begin her part 'till dress rehearsal. But there are two more persons who had quite a bit to do with the play's success and they should not be forgotten: Mr. Crosby, and Mr. Caldwell, the directors. Congratulations one and all!

Since the beginning of the semester there have been quite a number of people home sick. We're sure you've all heard a lot about the flu, viruses, and colds which have been going around. The swimming team in one of its last meets, the district meet at Penn College, certainly had more than its share of sicknesses. Bill Fuller, Don Hale, Ted Richter, Dick Fredericks, and Happy Hanscom were all in rather a bad way, though they swam anyway. Through the efforts of these boys, along with the rest of the team, Shaker was able to rate a second in the city, one notch below the first place Heights. We're glad they came out as near the top as they did but we are sorry to see the swimming season come to an end.

By the end of the school year there is really going to be quite a list of "steadies." As the weeks go on, couple by couple are added. This time there are three more new couples: Nancy Lewis and Tim Bovington, Barbara Draher and Tom Flaherty, and Lois Early and Don Jansen.

On March 2nd, Mrs. Anderson's 11A English class sang, "So Long, It's Been Good to Know You," to Nell Yeoman, who has now left Shaker and is attending a high school in North Royalton, Ohio. We hope he finds it enjoyable there.

Mrs. Davis recently received a call on the Shakerite phone from Halle's Department Store inquiring whether she would like her plastic sock-dryers, size 14, sent out or what. By deductive reasoning, she figured Mr. David, the math teacher, had ordered the dryers. Did he ever receive them?

In recent weeks there have been a few girls taking trips to various places. Terry Ryan took a few days off for a little jaunt to Notre Dame to see Jack Wise. Gracia Parsons also had a short vacation when she took a week off from school to go down to see what appears to be the college she will attend in the future. But there was only one trouble; while she was down there, she got an attack of flu, which didn't help her visit any. Joannie Williams made a journey to Cincinnati, where she visited some friends.

Members of H. R. 213 have a "bulb of contention," if not a bone; are they nurturing an onion—or a tulip?

Today we'll be seeing all the different choirs from six individual schools in the Lake Erie League. These choirs, plus our own, will make up what is known as the L. E. L. Festival. For lots of us, this will be a new experience. Here's hoping it's a good one.

## Calendar of Events

March 16	LEL Choir Festival
March 19-25	Spring Vacation
March 26	Photo Club
March 29	Slide Rule Club
March 31	U.N. Model Assembly, W. R. U.
April 2, 3, 4	Tag Days
April 2	Photo Club
April 3	French Club
April 4	Science Club
April 4	Spanish Club
April 5	Scribblers
April 5	Slide Rule Club
April 6	Band Concert
April 9-18	Student Election Campaign
April 9	Photo Club
April 10	Spanish Club
April 11	American College Glee Club Assembly
April 11	Travel Club
April 12	Slide Rule Club
April 13	Council Fun Night

# Hi-Y Engages in Variety of Activities; Holds Paper Sale; Stages Two Basketball Dances

*Editor's Note: Because some 100 boys, who constitute about one-fourth of Shaker's male population, are members of the various chapters of Hi-Y, the editors thought it would be a good idea to set aside a regular column in which these boys might inform the school of their current activities. This is the first of that series.*

The combined Hi-Y has been very busy this semester with plans for the induction of twelve new members. In connection with the induction a sermon was given by Reverend Joseph R. Ludwigson, and the Heights Y. M. C. A. Mothers' Club supplied refreshments. Not only has the Hi-Y been planning for the induction but is has also had a serious discussion on the subject "What Does God Mean to You?". This discussion gave a number of boys the chance to express their thoughts on this important subject. On March 3, the Hi-Y had a paper sale sponsored by the Kiwanis Club, the money to be used for a new Heights Y. M. C. A. bus. The combined Hi-Y has also been active in the field of sports and social activities. It has staged two very successful basketball dances, and also sponsors Saturday morning basketball games in the boys' gym in which three Hi-Y teams are participating. Lately the Hi-Y purchased a six foot by three foot Hi-Y banner with the school colors for the purpose of furthering school and Hi-Y spirit.

The Sophomore class has spent most of its time this year in organization but it has given whole-hearted support to the combined Hi-Y and also has found time for planning a hayride during spring vacation.

The Junior chapter of Hi-Y has

been doing some rather interesting things. It had an excellent discussion on teenage problems, and will hold a hayride March 20. It is preparing for a paper sale to raise some money for the chapter. Also it is tentatively planning a joint meeting with the Junior Chapter of the Y-Teen Club later on in the spring.

The Senior chapter without a doubt has been the busiest of the three chapters. It has made athletic posters for the school and has found some time for several programs such as a talk by Mr. Herzigh from B. F. Goodrich and Co., a careful study of teenage problems completed by Mr. A. S. Jones, and a number of talks by the boys' fathers. As the oldest chapter in the club, it has been giving a helping hand to the Sophomore chapter. While doing all this, it has planned a roller skating party for March 17, and is planning a theater party in April. About the most important single service by the senior chapter is the money it raised for the World Service Organization by rummage and paper sales. The World Service Organization sends Y. M. C. A. representatives to Europe to start Y. M. C. A. clubs in undeveloped foreign countries.

Randall Luke

## Crosby Recalls Thirty Years

On Thursday, April 5, Crosby Ramey will celebrate the thirtieth anniversary of his coming to the Shaker School System.

Crosby, who was born in Columbia, S. C., and attended South Carolina State College, began his work on April 5, 1921, at the junior high school, which was then the high school. He was there two years, and then transferred to Onaway. He was the first custodian in that school and remained there one year. He then returned to the first high school, where he was made assistant head custodian.

In 1931 when this building was first opened, he came here as head custodian, and has remained in that capacity ever since.

Crosby said that aside from being chosen head custodian of the Senior High School, one of his happiest experiences in his thirty years came in 1945, when the graduating class dedicated their yearbook to him.

Crosby says that he admires Mr. Main's policy in keeping the school up-to-date, and he is fortunate in having many fine people to work with.



Monday, February 12th, the junior team with 16 points won the interclass swimming meet defeating the senior team which had 13.5 points and the sophomores with 5.5 points. The events and winners were: under water swimming, Judy Anderson; water ballet, Elizabeth Tharett and Barbara Van Sittert; 40 yard free style, Barbara Van Sittert; 20 yard free style, Judy Lytle; 20 yard back crawl, Judy Lytle; 40 yard back crawl, Harriet Gould; individual medley, Barbara Van Sittert; free style relay, junior team of Mary Rollibone, Harriet Gould, Harriet Thorne, and Judy Lytle; and 20 yard breast stroke, Barbara Levy. Congratulations, girls!

March 5 and 12 the Shares Club held tryouts for the leads in their annual Pageant to be held in the spring.

Tuesday, March 13, at 3:30 the G. A. A. Girls Athletic Association of Bedford High School sponsored a playday at which Carolyn Miller, Mary Rathbone, Judy Anderson, Marlene Zoul, Carol Telepak, Ardis Allen, Julie Doyle, Marilyn Basinger, Doris Warren, and Shirley Thomas represented Shaker.

Badminton will begin Tuesday, April 3, and is in charge of Doris Warren this year.

A few weeks ago Judy Gottesman received quite an honor when she earned her intramural rating in basketball.

The sophomore varsity basketball teams played Hathaway-Brown at Shaker on Tuesday, March 6. The junior varsity teams of Mary Lou Beutel, Bertha Samas, Jo Santa Maria, Carol Telepak, Marlene Zoul, Judy Anderson, Marilyn Basinger, Nancy Douskess, Alice Mellis, Mary Rathbone, Jane Acker, Elizabeth Acker, Barbara Coy, Eve Hexter, Audrey Shubin, Jo Ann David, Anne Greenberg, Carolyn Miller, Graetia Parsons, and Joan Sanders played H. B. at H. B. on Wednesday, March 7.

The senior varsity teams were hosts to Hathaway-Brown on Thursday, March 15. Those teams consisted of Judy Gottesman, Virginia Liedy, Jerry Mapes, Jane Robinson, Marge Thomas, Sue Farley, Marge Stricker, Shirley Thomas, Doris Warren, Jo Wood, Mary Ellen Gazley, Millicent House, Mary Mountcastle, Carol Nelson, Elizabeth Tharett, Nan Brownell, Cynthia Chappell, Marva Digby, Judy Hula, Adele Stromberg, and Barbara Van Sittert.

The sophomore varsity teams in-

## Last Respects To Donkey Riders

Here they are—the students who donated body, soul, and dignity for the sake of a hilarious evening at the donkey basketball game. It was difficult to pick out a single high point from the many laughs that evening but here are some of the happenings which will linger in Shakerites' memories; the lovely Buster Browns worn by the wrestling team, the Parisian follies girls chosen for their size (over 200 pounds), and the Fightin' faculty proving that youth isn't everything. Here are the names of the riders: Shaker won't soon forget them.

### First Quarter

Matter	Weil
Gottesmen	Samas
Doyle	Robinson
Basinger	Williams
Anderson	Santa Maria
Telepak	Barber
Coy	Ryan
Mapes	Comella

### Second Quarter

Shipley	Rauh
Slagle	Weiss
Clawson	Zucker
Beallo	Meshorer
Katsaras	Jack Moran
Reinacher	Terhune
Joe Moran	Alfred
Meyers	Brooks
	Mihaly

### Third Quarter

Ruffini	Sims
McFarlane	Moore
Tesmer	Curtis
Kirtz	Moritz
Falsgraf	Smith
Richter	Cheraso
Hale	Morse
Brunner	Rowen
Schwartz	

### Fourth Quarter

Zednik	Seasholes
Storms	Fuller
Rupp	Krieger
Rice	Nash
Heinlen	Bloomfield
Moritz	Rosenberger
Keechle	Reinbrecht

cluded Betty Lou Nitchie, Irene Molnar, Janet Peters, Sonja Van Horn, Marilyn Wise, Miriam Brookner, Diane Byrne, Laura Goodman, Lillian Racz, Clare Steele, Eugene Hyland, Barbara Larson, Arlene Swand, Marge Matter, Alice Roth, Ardis Allen, Barbara Giesey, Marcia Goodman, Judy Sturges, Laverne Wills.

The all-star volleyball team consisted of Marge Stricker, Jerry Mapes, Marva Digby, Mary Ellen Gazley, Doris Warren, Marge Thomas, Marlene Zoul, Carol Telepak, Jo Santa Maria, Judy Gottesman, Marilyn Basinger, and Virginia Liedy.

Jane Blau

## The Curbstone

Drawn looks have been apparent on the faces of both students and faculty members the last few weeks. The students' troubles stem from the fact that March 10 was the date of the College Board Tests on which most hopeful seniors were forced to demonstrate their lack of knowledge to the colleges of their choice. The teachers on the other hand were perturbed by the fact that yesterday, March 15, they were forced to hand over a good percentage of their incomes to the United States government.

Contrary to the letter printed in the last issue, the wrestling team wasn't neglected when they were asked to take the street car to a meet at Lakewood. Mayor Burke had ordered all non-essential vehicles off the road because of the weather that day. On that same day, in fact, the swimming team also took public transportation.

Most of our athletic teams have been doing their traveling by private automobiles because the school buses are available only at night and on Saturdays and the cost of hiring a private bus would be prohibitive.

## Greater Cleveland Music Contest

Many fellow Shakerites are participating in the keen competition this year at the Greater Cleveland Music Contest. The contest was formerly held at Thomas Jefferson Junior High, but will take place at Cleveland Heights High on the thirtieth and thirty-first of March.

This year there will be a trumpet trio, a woodwind trio, and a brass sextet entered in the contest, besides the nine other soloists.

Here are the brave artists: George Pike, Lee Tenenbaum, Gordon Silver, Chuck Serpan, Gerry Horvath, Jean Patrick, Ted Parsons, Gerry Aidlin, Toni Fritz, Elwood Smith, Alice Joseph, Howard Silby, Dick Hall and Don Hale.

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## A. Z. A. and B. B. G.

Present Their City-Wide Dance

## "Spring Fever"

with

The Mellomasters

Saturday, April 7th

8:30 P.M.

Heights High Social Room

Admission .50

## Horse Training and Showing Occupy Gib's Spare Time

Training and showing horses occupy many of Gib Moritz's spare moments. He has taught six horses the smooth running and jumping which have enabled them to win 5 blue ribbons since January of this year.

Gib started riding when he was five and entered his first show when he was twelve. After he learned to jump the family thoroughbred, he decided he would like to try training a horse, so he trained "Tony." He succeeded so well with him that his family bought him an untrained thoroughbred. This horse "Shoremaid," did so well in shows that Gib has since gotten two animals, "Tempest," a green hunter, and "Hydrome II," a young green hunter whom he hopes to train as a conformation hunter. These three horses Gib has trained completely by himself.

Gib has entered contests at the Cleveland Riding and Driving Club, Chagrin Valley Riding Club, and at Youngstown where he won first prize with a triple bar jump.

Gib now works with his own horses about two hours daily and is also training a horse for a friend of his. He hopes to enter the same shows this year as before and possibly the Ohio State Show or the Harrisburg National Show.

### Second Donkey Basketball Game Proves Successful

The Donkey Basketball game proved to be "wilder than a rodeo and funnier than a circus." The event was held March 10 at 8:00 after an intramural game. Edwin Zednick, Paul Stark, Bob Rice, and Principal Russell H. Rupp joined the captains of the various athletic teams and other students in participating in the frolic. According to Fred Heinlen, chairman of the event, the evening was a great success. Proceeds will go to the athletic fund.

After the game the Student Council sponsored a dance from ten to twelve o'clock. Records were played under the direction of the dance's chairman, Dave Howe.

## Sport Spots

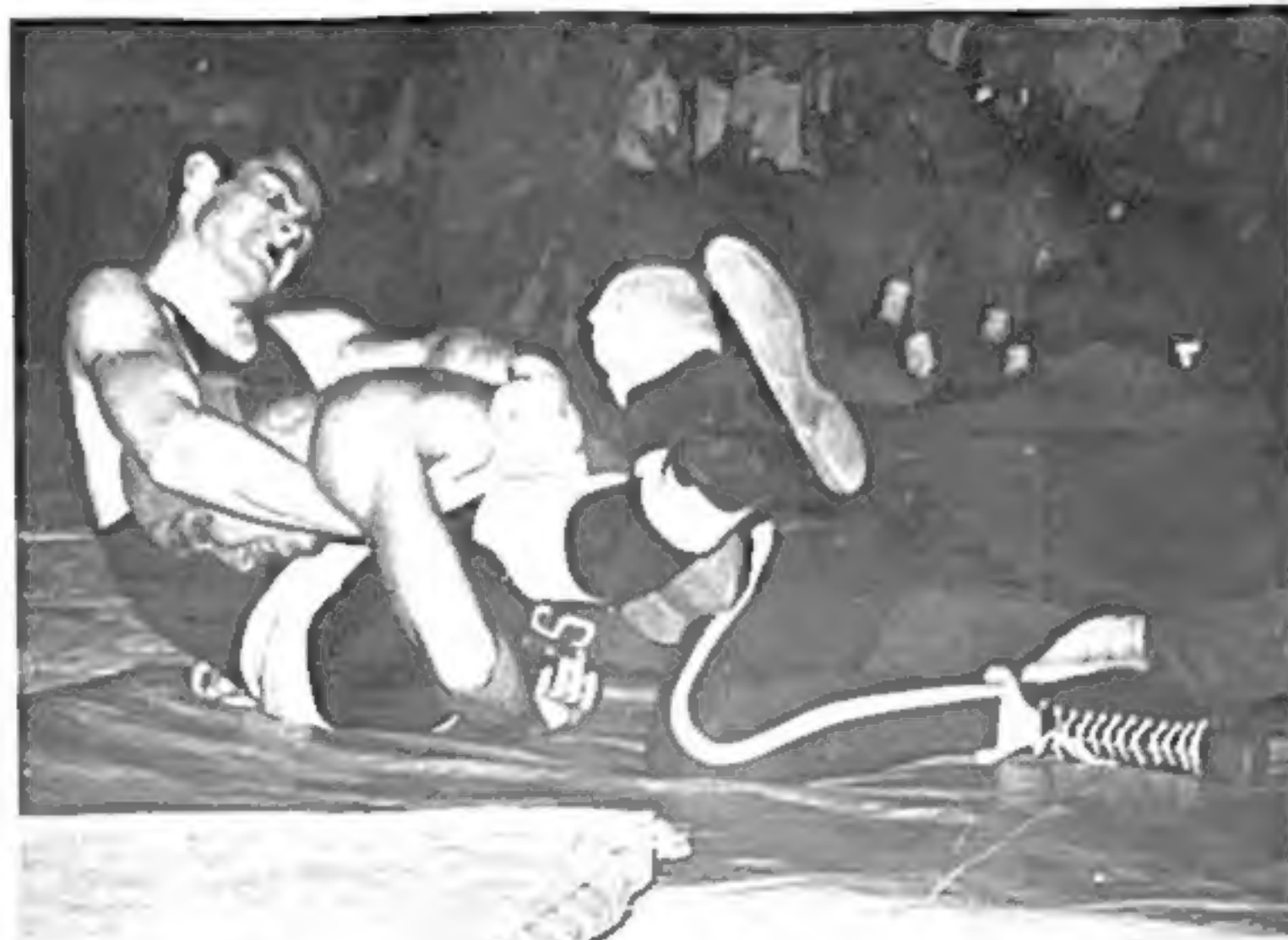
Highlighting this year's track schedule will be the Hilltop Meet at University School, on Friday, April 27, and the Lake Erie Meet at Euclid, on Saturday, May 12. The opener will be on our track on Monday, April 16. Our opponent will be Willoughby. This year there are four returning lettermen. They are Frank Wertheimer, participating in the sprints; Tom Flaherty, in the pole vault; Temp Lowry in the 440; and Neil Newman, in the hurdles.

Next season's football schedule will include games with Parma and John Hay. The opener will be with South on our field, September 15.

Track Coach Bob Rice discovered a few weeks ago that an automobile isn't like any of the boys on the team. It won't run on sheer muscle and wind alone—a little petrol must be added.

Shaker's baseball team will open its season on April 14, weather permitting. The game will be with Lorain.

Don Hale and Herb Lindahl have been elected co-captains of next year's swimming team; John Rosenberger and Mickey Bloomfield will head the grid-iron boys, while Ted Reinbrecht will be the new basketball captain.



Al Capp's Octopus had nothing on Jack Moran and his adversary in the meet with West High.

## Grapplers Close Season With Fifth Place in Senate

Shaker's grapplers ended the regular season on a sweet note as they downed a tough John Marshall ten, 20 to 12, after they had been thumped by the perennial state champion West High Cowboys the previous week, 30 to 8. The Raiders' season dual meet record was six wins and four defeats.

## 2nd in League and City, 11th in State Taken by Swimmers

The Shaker High swimming team closed its dual meet season with a record of seven triumphs and five setbacks. Three of the defeats were administered by teams which finished in the top three in the State Meet at Columbus, namely Cleveland Heights and Canton McKinley.

Their last dual meet was with Erie Academy High School Academy, a powerhouse in Pennsylvania, only barely got by the Red Raiders, 41-34. The mermen extended their winning streak over their arch-rival, University School.

In addition to the dual meets, the Red Raiders turned in second places in the City, Lake Erie League, and District Meets, each time trailing only Heights.

At the State Meet the Shaker boys took two fifth places. Diver George "Hap" Hanscom took one in his specialty and the 150-yard medley relay team, composed of Bob Soltz, Bob Englander, and Don Hale, took the other fifth place. This gave Shaker a total of five points, good for a tie for eleventh place.

Dick Kaufman

## Faculty Proved Vincible, 52-36

Led by the peg shots of Ed Zednick, and the 17 points of Fred Heinlen, a scrappy senior high faculty squad suffered its first defeat in as many games to a junior high representative from Kent State University, who 'dropped' in 39 points from his position, head and shoulders above the tallest the senior high had to offer.

The senior high representatives staged a sensational outburst of scoring which evened the count before the junior high could dent the hoop in the second half. In fact, the senior high actually led for a moment or two. However, the junior high wonder, finding himself tied up under the backboard, shifted his style from tip-ins to long shots and that was that.

The other stars for the southeastern campus school were Gene Branson, Paul Stark, Warren Lahr, Jim Halderman, and Bob Rice.

Warren Lahr, of the Cleveland Browns, showed great spirit and alertness as he stole the ball numerous times from the slightly bewildered victims from the northwest.

Russell H. Rupp acted as a referee.

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